THE EPIDEMIC DISEASES HOSPITAL WARDS FOR INCURABLE PATIENTS AND THE LEPER ASYLUM, BANGALORE.

Abstract Notification.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed tender notification, dated 12th October 1929, published on pages 1167 to 1169, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 17th October 1929, calling for tenders for the supply of diet and other articles required for the above institutions for the calendar year 1930.

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MEDICAL STORES.

Notification dated 20th September 1929.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders in triplicate will be received up t. 11-30 A.M., on Friday the 29th November 1929, by the Superintendent, Medical Stores, for the supply by contract, of country medicines, etc., (as per list appended) for the Medical Stores, Mysore Government, from 1st January to 31st December 1930 both days inclusive.

2. No tenders will be received after the date and hour abovementioned.

3. Three tenders to be superscribed (1) " for the supply of country medicines, etc.," (2) " for articles of bedding and clothing" and (3) "furniture" separately.

4. No tender will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 150 in cash, currency notes, or Government bonds for tender for the supply of (1) country medicines, etc., and a deposit of Rs. 50 each for tender for the supply of (2) bedding and clothing and (3) furniture.

5. Tenders will be opened by the Superintendent at the Medical Stores on the date and at the hour abovementioned.

6. The Senior Surgeon does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason for not accepting any tender.

7. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 500 for "country medicines, etc.," and Rs. 100 each for the two other tenders in cash or Government bonds within three days from the acceptance of his contract being made known to him.

8. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payment for the articles supplied in each month will be made by the Superintendent, Medical Stores, as soon as possible after the 10th of the following month on his producing the necessary bill with vouchers.

9. All drugs to be of the best quality. Other articles to be according to the specifications given or samples approved by the Superintendent.

10. Tenders must specify the rate at which etch article will be supplied, and in no case the indefinite rate such as "from————annas to————rupees" per article, or "rates for different qualities," will be accepted. The rate for each item must be specified in figures as well as in words; the value of each item must be worked out according to the rates tendered and the total value must also be entered in words in ink. Tenders not confirming to this rule will be rejected.

11. Articles ordered should be supplied within a week of receipt of indent, and those rejected should be replaced within the day.

12. The contract must not be sub-let.

13. A fine not exceeding Rs. 50 will be levied by the Superintendent for any infringement of the terms of the contract or for the supply of inferior articles and the contract itself will be annulled and the security confiscated to Government in the case of continued or frequent violation of the terms of contract, the defaulter being further liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by the annulment. If the contractor thinks that the fine levied in any case is not justifiable, he may appeal to the Senior Surgeon who will have power to fine up to Rs. 100.

14. In case the contractor ceases to abide by the contract at any time during the currency thereof, he shall forfeit the security money to Government and also be bound to make good to Government any loss which may arise from such cessation.

15. The decision of the Senior Surgeon to be final in all questions of the infringement of contract.

16. The contractor will be bound on occasions of emergency to supply any other article or articles that are not mentioned in the list appended to the notice, at prevailing market rates and at short notice.

17. The forms in which tenders are to be submitted may be had on application in writing at the Medical Stores.